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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

The Office Action of October 25, 2007, has a shortened statutory time set to expire on January 25, 2008 which was previously extended to March 25, 2008 and a fee of \$460.00 was paid. An additional one-month extension is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 03-1935 in the amount of \$590.00 for payment of the extension fee. Two additional copies of this paper are here enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR.§ 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 03-1935.

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